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The Microsoft and DOJ crafted settlement goes beyond what was needed for a settlement. It should be accepted and the remaining states should accept it too, although they will not be satisfied until Microsoft is dismantled to the benefit of Sun and AOL who the dissenting states claim as plaintiffs. The true plaintiffs should be consumers but consumers are not considered by the dissenting states. The only concern the dissenting states have are SUN and AOL. Sun and AOL own the Attorney Generals in those dissenting states. And this 'bought and paid for' justice is not in the public interest. The dissenting states should not be listened to as they will only settle when Microsoft is destroyed.

However antitrust is not about propping up competitors and such further sanctions against Microsoft, such as forcing Microsoft to fully disclose its software source code or breaking the company into pieces, should not be entertained.

Additional measures are not required.

Thank You,

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